

State of California  
Department of Parks and Recreation

**NOTICE OF EXEMPTION**

**TO:** Office of Planning and Research  
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**FROM:** Department of Parks and Recreation  
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**PROJECT TITLE:** Boat Camp Memorial Grove Replacement

**LOCATION:** : Emerald Bay State Park - Hwy 89 and Boatcamp Service Road  
Dorado

**COUNTY:** El

**DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:**

Construct a 16-foot long x 10-foot wide log enclosure and plant two trees within the closure at Boat Camp Campground in Emerald Bay State Park. Project is to replace a memorial grove that was established by the Milner Family 15 years ago and inadvertently removed during the recent rehabilitation project of Boat Camp Campground. Site will be a triangular area of approximately 50 square feet. Tree species will be appropriate for the area.

If evidence of potentially significant historical/archaeological resources are discovered at any point during the project, work will be suspended until the find can be assessed by either the District or Service Center archaeologist.

**PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT:** California Department of Parks and Recreation

**NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT:** Sierra District

**EXEMPT STATUS:**

☒ Categorical Exemption      Class: 3, 4      Section: 15303, 15304

**REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:**

Project consists of construction and location of a limited number of new, small structures and minor alteration in the condition of land, water, and/or vegetation, which does not involve removal of healthy mature, scenic trees.

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